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**COMBINED NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES & PETITION FOR
EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) (Large Entity)**

Docket No.
PB0092

In Re Application Of: T. Armstrong, et al.

Serial No.
09/746,361

Filing Date
December 22, 2000

Examiner
Amanda Merlino

Group Art Unit
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Invention: A Sample Chamber for Use in Analytical Instrumentation

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined Notice of Appeal from the Primary Examiner to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of June 19, 2003 in the above-identified application.

Date

Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated June 19, 2003 finally rejecting Claim(s) 1-38.

Applicant(s) hereby request(s) an extension of time of (check desired time period):

☒ One month ☐ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: September 19, 2003 until: October 19, 2003

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This combined Notice of Appeal from the Primary Examiner to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences and petition for extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) is respectfully submitted by the undersigned:


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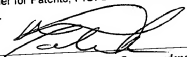
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